

Application No. 09/980,586
Supplemental Reply to Restriction Requirement mailed May 29, 2003

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 98-122 are pending, claims 1-97 having been previously canceled and new claims 98-122 having been previously added. Claim 106 is currently amended to delete "an amino acids, salts and derivatives thereof." In the response submitted December 1, 2003, the species elections were inadvertently omitted. This paper supplements the December 1, 2003 response in that it includes species elections.

Election of Species

Different Adjuvants

Applicants elect QS-21. Claims 114-117 and 120-121 read on the elected species.

Claim 113 is generic.

Different Pharmaceutically Acceptable Buffers

Applicants elect amino acids, salts and derivatives thereof. Claims 104-106 read on the elected species. Claims 99 and 108 are generic.

Specification

I. Browser-Executable Code

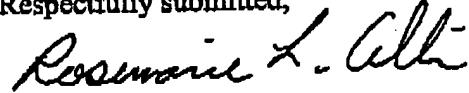
Applicants have amended the paragraph beginning at page 17, line 26 of the specification to remove the hyperlink embedded in the text.

II. Use of Trademarks

Applicants have amended the specification to capitalize trademarks where they appear.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

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